



**We are pleased to present you the analysis of the first online Gujarat Common Entrance Test (GCET) for admissions to Masters of Business Administration (MBA) and Masters of Computer Application (MCA).**

To facilitate the online test, two test centres were opened in each district with 50-odd computers where students could give their test online. Test was scheduled between July 1 to 5, 2009. The paper of each examinee was different to minimise copying. It also allowed the authorities to conduct the test in batches.

Some of the salient features of the session was –

1. GCET Bulletin / Brochure with User-ID and password was made available at 25 help centers across the state from 6th June, 2009.
2. GCET – 2009 was CBT - computer based test which was taken on the intranet of the test centre.
3. GCET Test was conducted at 20 different centers across the Gujarat state between 1st July and 5th July, 2009.
4. Every day there was three different sessions at each centre.
5. Ist batch was start at 9.00 am, second batch at 1.00 pm and third at 5.00 pm.
6. Students was given a choice for the city of the test centre as per the convenience.
7. Best effort was made to allocate choice as per the preference of the student.
8. GCET Exam Hall ticket were issued online from 28th June and student has to take a print of the same before going to test centre.
9. Without valid Exam Hall ticket and any one of the following document in original, no student was allowed to take the test at test centre.
  1. Driving License, 2. Passport, 3. Voter's Card issued by election commission., 4. Photo I-Card issued by last institute attended., 5. Income Tax PAN card.
10. The GCET Test 2009 included questions on English language skills, Quantitative aptitude, Analytical reasoning and General Knowledge questions.
11. All the above aspects followed the pattern of CAT, MAT, GMAT, GRE etc.
12. The Entrance Test contained 150 multiple choice questions and the duration of the test was 2 hours.

- 13.** Number of questions from different sections was as following for MBA.
1. 40 questions from English Language skill.
  2. 50 questions from Quantitative aptitude.
  3. 30 questions from Analytic and logical reasoning
  4. 30 General knowledge questions.
- For MCA the structure was as follows.
1. 40 questions from English Language skill.
  2. 65 questions from Quantitative aptitude.
  3. 45 questions from Analytic and logical reasoning
- 14.** These questions was arranged randomly.
- 15.** The weightage was four marks for correct answer and negative one mark for wrong answer.
- 16.** Students were able to get the score within 2 hrs. after the test.
- 17.** Candidates seeking admission to MBA and MCA both courses had to take only one test of 180 questions of 150 minutes. The paper in this case had 15 additional questions from Quantitative aptitude and another 15 from Analytic and Logical reasoning over and above MBA questions.
- 18.** There were 15 different papers available. One for each slot. In each paper there were different sets.
- 19.** Each paper was designed differently, for example in the first slot of the first day the GK was science based, on the other side in the last slot of the first day the GK was History based etc.

